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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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Serial No. 10/091,425

Group Art Unit: 2878

Filed: March 7, 2002

For: APPARATUS FOR AUTOMATICALLY DETECTING SIZE TO BE

DETECTED AND AUTOMATIC ANALAYZER USING THE SAME

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April 9, 2002

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Applicant(s) submit(s) herewith the executed Declaration and

Power of Attorney, along with the required surcharge as set

forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).

Our check in the amount of \$130.00 is attached.

As required, a copy of the NOTICE of March 27, 2002, is enclosed herewith.

Please charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

Respectfully submitted,

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